

## CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

## INFORMATION REPORT

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- 25X1 1. [redacted] the Naval Officer's Training School (Szkoła Oficerska dla Marynarki Wojennej) in Okaywie [redacted] 5433N-1833E. At that time the only radar facilities in Poland which were available for instructional purposes (that I know of) were those on board the Polish destroyer ORP BLYSKAWICA (Okret Rzeczpospolitej Polski); therefore, enlisted men 25X1 not in the regular officer's training program, but who had been selected for instruction in radar, were also trained aboard the BLYSKAWICA. [redacted]
- 25X1 This radar course, I heard, was the first given in Poland.
- 25X1 2. Enlisted personnel were housed aboard the BLYSKAWICA during the six months of the radar course. This ship also served as a practical classroom for actual operation of radar equipment, although theory in radar was given on shore in the school buildings.
- 25X1 3. Radar instructors were Lt. Cmdr. Wieslaw KON and WO. (fnu) WIZNER, both of whom received their training in England and arrived in Poland in 1946. In 1947 it was said that these two men were the only ones in Poland knowledgeable on radar operation.
- 25X1 4. The course of radar given the enlisted men was the following daily schedule of classes:
- a. Monday:
- 0800-1000 Radar equipment diagrams
  - 1000-1200 Radar antennas
  - 1300-1400 Lunch (served aboard ship)

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## a. Monday (Cont'd)

1300-1400 Electrode technique (Elektrod Technika)  
1400-1500 Radio technique (Radio Technika)  
1500-1600 Radar power cables (Kabli Wspolosiowe)  
1600-1700 Radar tubes  
1800-1900 Familiarization with the operation of radar  
equipment on board the BLYSKAWICA (this course  
occurred twice a week)

## b. Tuesday:

Same program as on Monday

## c. Wednesday:

0800-1000 Political studies  
1000-1200 Radar antenna  
1200-1300 Lunch  
1300-1700 Operation of radar equipment on board the  
BLYSKAWICA

## d. Thursday:

0800-1000 Marching and arms drill  
1000-1030 Gymnastics  
1030-1200 Study period  
1200-1300 Lunch  
1300-1500 Electrode technique  
1500-1700 Radio technique

## e. Friday:

0800-1000 Political studies  
1000-1200 Operation of radar equipment  
1200-1300 Lunch  
1300-1500 Operation of electron tube (Oscelograf)  
1500-1700 Familiarization with radar tubes

## f. Saturday:

0800-1000 Recognition, radar equipment diagrams  
1000-1200 Study period  
School was sometimes for half a day on  
Saturdays, sometimes only until 1000.

## g. Sunday:

Free time

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